

# ORGANIC DIVISION GRADUATE SEMINARS—Fall SEMESTER 2011

Department of Chemistry, University of Florida  
CHM6390 and CHM 6391

All talks will be held on THURSDAYS in ROOM 207 Lei. L=Literature Talk, R=Research Talk on research at UF. L, R, talks should be 17 ± 2 minutes. If a student cannot speak for a good reason (e.g. away on official business), please notify immediately. The objective of this course is to give graduate students practice in formal presentations both of literature topics and about other research. There is no text required for this course.

**Important note: Students should be aware that grades will be given for the Organic Seminar. The grades will be based on quality of delivery and of overheads, clarity and comprehensibility, timing, and having given proper notice of their title (see below). Attendance is mandatory for graduate students in the 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, and 4<sup>th</sup> years. Students who register for S/U (and do not present) will receive a U if their attendance drops below 75% of the Thursday seminars in any semester. For students who present and have attendance of less than 67%, they will receive one grade lower than that assigned on the basis of their presentation. Only exception is a teaching assignment with a written statement sent to Kate Kovalenko or Diana Wilbur not later than the first Wednesday after the start of the semester.**

**\*\*\*ALL SPEAKERS MUST \*\*\***

GIVE THE TITLE OF THEIR PRESENTATION to Diana Wilbur, Office Assistant  
[dwilbur@ufl.edu](mailto:dwilbur@ufl.edu) or deliver in writing to Room 229 Sisler Hall

**10 DAYS PRIOR TO PRESENTATION DATE (or receive 1 grade penalty**

**All requests for change must be accompanied by supporting statement signed by Division Head, Dr. Kirk Schanze**

All dates except Nov 29 are Thursdays      Notes: Initials of Faculty Supervisor appear after name; L=Literature; 1R, 2R, 3R= 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> Research)  
Student Seminars or Visiting Speaker (4:00-5:00 pm)

	4:00-4:20pm	4:20-4:40pm	4:40-5:00pm
*Aug 25	No seminars		
*Sept 1	Raghida Bou Zerdan (L-RC)	James Bullock (L-KS)	James Deininger (L-JR)
*Sept 8	Thomas Ghebregiorgis (L-AA)	Justin Goodwin (L-AA)	Yichen Li (L-DT)
*Sept 15	Amrita Mullick (L-AV)	Nicolas Sauty (L-KW)	Michael Schulz (L-KW)
*Sept 22	Zhayun Zheng (1r-N/A)	Xushi Zhu (1R-KS)	
Sept 29	Natasha Teran (1R-JR)	Caroline Grand (1R-JR)	
Oct 6	Russell Winkel (L-KS)	Khanh Ha (L-AK)	
Oct 13	Davit Jishkariani (2R-AK)	Rob Vanderherst (2R-SM)	Pascale Attalah (3R-KW)
Oct 20	Suvendu Biswas (3R-AK)	Chester Simocko (3R-KW)	Ebrahim Zadeh (L-AK)
Oct 27	Professor Linda Shimizu (Univ. S. Carolina, Host: Castellano)		
Nov 3	Lucas Beagle (3R-AK)	Ciera Gerack (3R-LMW)	Judit Kovacs (3R-AK)
Nov 10	Professor Ben L. Feringa, Tarrant Professor (Univ. Groningen, Host: Castellano)		
Nov 17	Professor Ben L. Feringa, Tarrant Professor (Univ. Groningen, Host: Castellano)		
Nov 24	Thanksgiving		
Nov 29 (Tues)	Professor Julius Rebek, Scripps Research Institute (11am, LEI 309, Host: Castellano)		
Dec 1	Professor Jeff Aube, University of Kansas (Host:Aponick)		
Dec 8	Amr Feteha (1R-SM)	Zhenxing Pan (L-KS)	Donovan Thompson (L-KW)
Dec 15	Mirna El-Khatib (3R-AK)	Jennifer Johns (3R-LMW)	Alexander Pemba (3R-SM)

\* Dr. Katritzky is away these days: Chairperson will be appointed.

Dr. Katritzky's Office is located in 229 Sisler Hall; Office Hours: No formal office hours, students with difficulties may indicate them by e-mail.

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**!!! Organic Faculty should please remind their own Graduate Students!!!**

**Accommodations for Students with Disabilities:** Students requesting classroom accommodation must first register with the Dean of Students Office. The Dean of Students Office will provide documentation to the student who must then provide this documentation to the Instructor when requesting accommodation.

A.R. Katritzky      6390 (sect 0837) – Graduate Seminar Presentation (Receives

Revised: Aug 17, 2011      6391 (sect 3563) – Graduate Seminar Discussion (Receives

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